

EIGHTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1899.

ONE CENT.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. James H. Hall has returned from Arkansas.

Hon. Samuel H. Stone, State Auditor, was in the city this morning.

Colonel George H. Humphreys has returned to his home at Santa Ana, Cal.

Mrs. A. C. Respass and Mrs. Perrie are the guests of Mrs. W. E. McCann of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Easton left this morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Easton of Hillsboro, O.

Miss Calhoun of Oxford, Col., will arrive Monday afternoon to spend a few days with Mrs. F. B. Ranson.

Mrs. Sophia Duley of Tilton is on a visit to her son, Mr. John Duley. For one nearly 50 years of age she is remarkably active.

Mrs. L. V. Davis is exhibiting a new line of trimmed hats today.

At the reunion of the Sixteenth Kentucky, held at Flemingsburg, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Secretary—George M. Clinger.
Treasurer—William Hendrick.
Historian—C. L. Overly.
Chaplain—Captain Jacob Miller.
The next meeting will be held at Maysville the first Tuesday in October, 1900.

Rev. S. Williams, a Southern evangelist with ability and religion enough to stir up any community for Christ and the Church, is now in the midst of one of the most interesting revival meetings that has been held in the First Baptist Church for some time. He is a speaker of great influence on his hearers, he is an earnest man, and he isn't afraid to work out on the streets. He has been preaching to crowded houses all week and last night two young men joined the Church. Tonight he will preach again, and with the singer, Mr. Brown, there is no danger of any one not getting close to the Lord. Suppose you go out and hear him if you haven't already done so. He will preach both morning and evening tomorrow, and after evening service the ordinance of baptism will be administered.



About fifty guests assembled at the delightful home of Miss Ficklin last night to enjoy a dance given in honor of Miss Robinson of Florence, Ala. The house was decorated with beautiful palms and blooming fall flowers, and the carpets were covered with linen. Miss Berry and Prof. Bullett furnished the music to which the company glided. The reception line consisted of Mrs. Robert Ficklin, mother of the hostess, who was exceedingly handsome in an embroidered waist, black crepe skirt, with diamonds. Miss Robinson, the petite guest of honor, was gowned in pink organza over taffeta, carrying flowers; being bred in old Kentucky she bears the stamp of beautiful women and chic girls. Then Miss Hattie Dobyns, in mouseline de sole over taffeta; Miss Sallie Ball, white Paris muslin; then the fair daughter of the house, Miss Ficklin, who is a prototype of her mother, in white muslin, satin trimmings, and diamonds. Delicious refreshments were served and it was a late hour, long past the appointed time, when the home ceased to be merry.

THE BEE HIVE.

FALL OPENING!

OF READY-TO-WEAR

MILLINERY.

We cordially invite you to inspect our great line of French Pattern Hats for the coming fall and winter seasons. We make this statement in all modesty that a superior stock cannot be found anywhere. They were purchased from one of the largest houses in New York City by one of the members of our firm, accompanied by a most expert and fashionable milliner. Every hat here means a saving to you of at least 50 to 75 per cent., judged from prices of others. Each hat is a creation in itself, no two being trimmed alike. Prices range from \$1.98 to \$5.75. We are also showing an immense line of Felt Suits, Golf and Walking Hats at 25c. to \$2.50. We only request you to come and look; you will not be asked to buy.

Pretty Plaids

A PLENTY.

The Bonnie Scotch Lassie would find much pleasure from a view of our large and superb stock of new and up-to-date Plaid Dress Goods. Dame Fashion has decreed Plaids for the fall's wear, and we are Dame Fashion's headquarters. At 39c. and 50c. we have a 40-inch Plaid in many different combinations of colors. At 59c. an all-wool Plaid with camel's hair effect. Superb Golf Cloths at \$1.50 to \$1.98. Genuine Camel's Hair Cloths, the most stylish of fabrics, at \$1.65. You'll find here the largest and most varied stock to select from, and that our prices mean a saving to you.

ROSENAU BROS.,

KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE

Fresh Oysters at Roper's.

Lizzie Perry has filed suit for divorce from Daniel Perry.

For fresh spices of all kinds call at Henry W. May's Postoffice Drugstore.

The interment of Mr. Kenas Best, whose death has been briefly noted, occurred Thursday afternoon.

There will be services at the Central Presbyterian Church this afternoon preparatory to the communion season tomorrow.

There is laughter for the laughable, music for the musical and much to commend and patronize in the performance of "A Breezy Time." At Washington Opera-house tonight.

The funeral of Mrs. Mollie Lashbrook yesterday afternoon from her late residence near Clark's Station was one of the largest and by far the saddest that has ever occurred in this county.

Mr. James Purdon, formerly a newspaperman of Aberdeen, now residing at Butler, O., was married in this city last evening to Miss Elizabeth P. Brown, daughter of Mrs. Mary Brown.

White's Cream Vermifuge is a highly valuable preparation, capable, from the promptitude of its action, of clearing the system in a few hours of every worm. Price 25 cts. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

There was a cutting scrape at Mayslick last evening. John Cogan was drunk and went into the store of Jim Collins. John Mitchell stepped into the store, and Cogan attacked him, and during the scuffle Marshall Benz and Constable Alexander went in and arrested Cogan, and before they got him to the lock-up he seriously cut Benz in the leg.

County Court Day Dinner.

The following is the bill of fare for the Special County Court Dinner to be served at the New W. Charles Hotel on Monday, October 9th, from 11:30 to 2 o'clock:

MEAT.
Oyster Soup.
Kalamazoo Celery. Mixed Pickles.
Cabbage Salad. Baked Trout, Egg Sauce.
Roast Tenderloin of Beef, Pan Gravy.
Roast Pork with Brown Sauce.
Old Country Cured Ham, Champagne Sauce.
Fried Fresh River Fish.
Escalloped Oysters, Maryland Style.
Fresh Buttered Milk. Kentucky Hot Cake.
Mashed Potatoes. Corn Pudding.
Sweet Potatoes. Lima Beans.
Sliced Tomatoes, Cranberry Sauce.
Pineapple Fritters.
Pumpkin Pie. Apple Pie. Mince Pie.
Vanilla Ice Cream. Assorted Cake.
New York Cream Cheese. Swiss Cheese.
Tea. Milk. Coffee.

"A Breezy Time" at the Opera-House Tonight.

The fundamental principle of "A Breezy Time" is a creation of merriment, and working upon this idea the author has given an amusing and well-told story that departs from the usual lines, and Fitz and Webster's clever company has succeeded in elaborating into a most enjoyable entertainment. Meritorious from the fact that it not only has all the elements of music and fun, but its story is coherent and full of sustained interest.

The three acts of "A Breezy Time" have been happily impregnated with music, songs, dances and amusing specialty features, all of which are introduced in an easy and perfectly legitimate manner and the presentation gives a bright and crisp entertainment.

The finale of the last act was arranged by Fitz and Webster, in which they introduce a number of "Breezy Time" airs, closing the show with a grand cake walk by the entire company.

Be sure and see "A Breezy Time" at the Opera-house tonight and have your seats reserved at once. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

SETTLED AT LAST!

Mr. Glascock Will Build at the Corner of Second and Sutton.

It's settled now.

Mr. A. R. Glascock will erect a three-story brick with stone trimmings at Second and Sutton.

The stakes are being driven today, the excavation will begin Monday, and the foundation at least will be built this fall.

The contractor is Mr. Isaac M. Lane.

The first floor will be occupied by the First National Bank, our contemporary The Bulletin probably taking one of the upper floors.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Molloy have moved into the residence on West Second street lately vacated by Mr. Milton Johnson.

If the gentleman who so cleverly borrowed THE LEDGER'S Nail-Puller will as cleverly return it, he will be voted a very clever fellow.

The game laws of Kentucky provide that it shall be unlawful to kill or have in possession squirrel between the first day of February and the 15th day of June. Quail, partridges or pheasants cannot be killed between January 1 and November 1. The killing of doves is prohibited between February 1 and August 1. There is no restriction placed upon the killing of rabbits, but it is generally accepted as the proper time after there has been frost. There is danger of the law against tainted food being invoked; should the rabbit be sold during warm weather.

HON. JOHN W. YERKES.

Rousing Meeting Addressed By Him at the Courthouse Last Night.

The Hon. John W. Yerkes of Danville met with a hearty reception at the Courthouse last evening.

The audience contained many ladies, the male portion composed of thoughtful, considerate voters, who weighed every word spoken.

Mr. Yerkes showed the insincerity of the Goebel Bill, in that it was simply substituted for former Democratic enactments, and that it was not a measure in keeping with Mr. Goebel's professed friendship for the people, but on the contrary it was a measure which robbed the people of local self-government by taking the power of appointing election officers away from the local officials and placing it in the hands of a Commission at Frankfort which was responsible to none but themselves.

He dwelt at some length on past Democratic legislation in this state, and compared its baneful influences with the beneficial results attained during the Administration of Governor Bradley.

He made a strong point against Democratic wickedness by citing the appointment of certain Senatorial and Representative Districts whereby Republicans were flagrantly robbed of their political as well as their Constitutional rights.

Mr. Yerkes is a finished orator, and is always sure of a good audience and an attentive hearing in Maysville.

WHO HE IS WHO.

"Anxious Inquirers" Told About Hon. Sam W. Stairs.

HIS PEDIGREE UP TO DATE.

MAYSVILLE, KY., October 3, 1899.

Editor Public Ledger: You will confer a favor if you will answer through your columns these questions: "Who is the Hon. S. W. Stairs of Dover?" and is he a native of this state?" If not, how long has he lived here? Respectfully, MANY ANXIOUS INQUIRERS.

Being satisfied that Bro'r Stairs had a pretty fair claim to citizenship in this Grand Old Commonwealth, but not having the minute data at hand, THE LEDGER referred the inquiry to Sam himself; and here's his answer:

DOVER, KY., October 3, 1899.
My Dear Mr. Davis: I cannot understand why any one should be sufficiently interested in me to even inquire as to whether I was ever born at all or not. But I was, just the same. And it was always the proud boast of General Grant that he was born also; not only that he was born, but that he enjoyed the proud privilege of having been born less than a mile south of where I was born, near Point Pleasant, Clermont county, O. [Note the place of birth, and that I am not an office-holder.] He was also very much pleased that he was lucky enough to be born several years ahead of me, or else things might have been different. Adjutant-General Corbin also, no doubt, owes his present position to the fact that he was born on a farm adjoining that of my father, where I was born, and that he almost drowned me trying to teach me how to swim down in "Shade Corbin's hole" on Coliclar creek. There's where I learned to keep my head above water.

When I was in the "green fuzz" state, or in the glowing period of life, my father transplanted me on Kentucky soil near the mouth of Big Locust creek in Bracken county—say about 1850. The creek is there yet. There I followed the jumping shovels, plow and "squeaked" tobacco worms until I learned how to digger, and I was competent to keep books for a mercantile firm at Bradford. At the age of 19—1869—I was called upon to act in the capacity of Enrolling Clerk of the House of Representatives in Indiana. There's where I made a mistake. I drifted into the newspaper business, and unfortunately got the idea into my head that I could "run a paper." I have never been able to "get the ink off my fingers" since. I established a daily paper, The Star, at Seymour, Ind., and later started The North Vernon (Ind.) Sun, then bought The Seymour Democrat, started a daily, and I can proudly boast that every paper I ever established is running today, though my part of the proceeds was small. I have been connected in an editorial capacity with a number of leading papers, among them The Kentucky Post. My literary productions have been read by some of the ablest Editors of the world—and consigned to the waste basket. In an evil hour I started The Dover News in 1887. I farmed the baby out, but now have it once more within my fostering care and expect to live and die with it. I have been a citizen of Kentucky constantly for the past ten years, and of Dover, Mason county, for the past six years. I eat my meals regularly, weigh 225 pounds, drink water when absolutely necessary and vote the Democratic ticket as often as the polls are opened. If you know of anybody that wants to hear further as to my pedigree refer them to my father, Noble Stairs, Bradford, Ky., and I dare any man to produce a more honorable gentleman as a father. Very truly, SAM W. STAIRS.

That Joyful Feeling

With the exhilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness, which follows the use of Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old-time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered but never accepted by the well-informed. Buy the genuine. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

Seed Rye for sale at T. J. Winter & Co.'s.

The most stubborn cases of Bronchitis succumb to Cousen's Honey of Tar. Price 25 and 50 cts. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

The members of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian Church last evening enjoyed a very pleasant social at the home of the Pastor, Rev. Howard T. Cree.

THE YOUNG MEN.

What the Maysville Y. M. C. A. Is Doing For Their Betterment.



Men's Rally Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, led by Mr. William Wormald. All men cordially invited.

The Junior Department opened on Wednesday afternoon with a gymnasium picnic for the boys. Games were indulged in as well as club and potato races. A regular Fourth of July lunch was served. A good time was the order of the day and judging from the amount of noise made, from a boy's standpoint, it was carried out in full.

MAYSVILLE'S CHURCHES

WHERE RELIGIOUS EXERCISES WILL BE HELD SUNDAY.



Pastors and Church Clerks are cordially invited to send in notice of any change in the services of their Churches, and to mention any special subject upon which the Pastor will preach.

To insure attention all matter for this column should be sent in not later than 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. John Barbour, D. D., Pastor.
Residence.....No. 18 West Third street.
Sunday-school 9:30 a. m.
Mission Sabbath-school in the German Church at 2:30 p. m.
Westminster S. C. E. 6:45 p. m.
Weekly Prayer-meeting Thursday at 7:00 p. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. J. C. Molloy, D. D., Pastor.
Residence.....8 West Fourth street.
Sunday-school 9:30 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Weekly Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45 p. m.
A full attendance of the congregation at the sacramental services tomorrow morning is earnestly desired.

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY.
Rev. D. D. Chapin, Rector.
Residence.....No. 22 West Fourth street.
Sunday-school 9:30 a. m.
Liturgy, Sermon and Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m.
Prayer-meeting Friday at 7:30 p. m.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.
Rev. J. O. A. Vaughn, Pastor.
Residence.....480 West Second street.
Sunday-school 9:15 a. m.
Epworth League 6:30 p. m.
Class Meeting 7:30 p. m.
Prayer-meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

M. E. CHURCH.
Rev. F. W. Harp, Pastor.
Residence.....No. 238 West Second street.
Sunday-school 9:15 a. m.
Class Meeting 7:30 p. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Prayer-meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.
Rev. Father A. T. Ennis, Pastor.
Residence.....No. 304 Limestone street.
Early Mass 7 a. m.
Children's Mass 8:30 a. m.
High Mass 10 a. m.
Sunday-school 2 p. m.
Vespers and Benediction 3 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Rev. Howard T. Cree, Pastor.
Junior Endeavor at 8:45 a. m.
Sunday-school 9:15 a. m.
Class Meeting 7 p. m.
Prayer-meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Morning sermon, "Christ a True Pattern;" evening subject, "Murder and the Negro Problem in the South."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. J. W. Porter, Pastor.
Residence.....No. 5 West Fourth street.
Sunday-school 9:15 a. m.
Young People's Meeting 6:30 p. m.
Prayer-meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

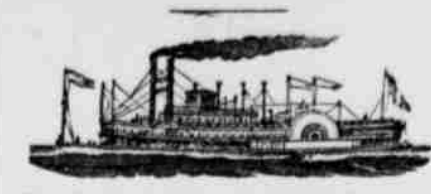
MITCHELL'S CHAPEL.
Rev. George E. Rapp, Pastor.
Residence.....322 East Second street.
Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. instead of 2:30 p. m.; W. L. Stickley, Superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the Pastor.
Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. Tuesdays.

REDDEN M. E. CHURCH.
Rev. T. B. Stratton, Pastor.
Residence.....No. 1317 Forest avenue.
Sunday-school 9:30 a. m.
Class Meeting every first and third Sunday.
Epworth League every Thursday and every other Sunday at 8 p. m.
Preaching every second and fourth Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Revival services in progress at Stewart's Chapel. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 3 p. m., conducted by the Pastor.

Fresh Oysters daily at O'Keefe's.

FLOTSAM—JETSAM—LOGAN!

NEWSY NOTES FROM NATURE'S GREAT HIGHWAY.



The Bonanza has quit in the Cincinnati-Louisville trade.

The Snagboat Woodruff has wrecked the sunken steamer Sherley below Portsmouth.

There is no immediate prospect of a rise at Pittsburgh. The rains of last week caused the headwater streams to rise a few inches, but that will effect nothing below Pittsburgh.

The fight now on between the Lee Line of Memphis and the St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet Company of St. Louis is so warm that the air will scorch the feathers off a pigeon, where they run, and it continues to grow hotter.

The White Collar Line steamers Argand and Greenwood are reported aground on the bar at Greenup. The Argand has been sticking there since last Friday, and the Greenwood since Sunday. The falling river has made navigation quite difficult to up-river points.

It will require all the towboats at Pittsburgh two or three trips to bring all the coal away that is loaded in the harbor and ready to leave. If a good big sudden and substantial rise should come what a scene the harbor at Pittsburgh will present. To witness the starting of a big coal fleet is worth going miles to see.

The steamer State of Kansas arrived at Memphis on her first trip, and the cargo in seed and cotton which she had to discharge at the Memphis wharf was a record-breaker for this season. She had 1,100 bales of cotton aboard and 2,600 sacks of seed. The cargo was collected between Cairo and Memphis, and this does not look much as though the fleecy staple is being diverted from the Memphis market.

Captain Phillips of the independent steamer City of Pittsburgh will enter another boat in the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Louisville trade with the Pittsburgh, when she resumes her run this winter, it is said. The idea is to start a boat from each end of the line once a week. It will take two steamers to run this trade properly and the story is probably true, as the Captain once stated that if such a move was necessary it would be made. This packet line will show the river lines a "hot time" this winter.

The commerce of the Ohio river is threatened, and unless the river is improved at the trap at Sewickley it is doubtful if any coal can be moved from Pittsburgh in the event of a rise. Captain John A. Wood, Captain W. B. Rodgers and Captain I. N. Bunton, representing the Pittsburgh Coal Exchange, held a conference with Captain William Martin of the Davis Island Dam in reference to the matter. It is understood that the Government is ready to go ahead and make whatever improvements are necessary.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for anyone of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO.,
Proprietors, Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him.

West & Thruax,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Walzing, Kinnam & Marvin,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Wedding Gifts.

Many of our new fall purchases are in. Even if they were not you'd have no trouble selecting something from our large and varied stock that would please the most exacting. Sterling Silverware, Cut Glass, artistic Bric-a-Brac from all the celebrated patterns in Europe, beautiful Lamps, Pictures and ever so many things that we have not space to mention. Come in and see how well you can be suited for a small amount of money.

BALLENGER,
Jeweler and Optician.

THE Ever-Needed Notions PINS.

Large cube containing 100 best steel toilet Pins. Various sizes. White glass heads of best quality.

LEINERT SHIELDS.

The most perfect washable light weight shields made. They absorb freely, dry quickly, are positively odorless, 25c.

NEW COMBS.

These are so pretty and so moderately priced that you'll surely feel tempted to own one or more, when you see them. The goods have just been opened and many odd and beautiful combs are shown. In the collection are articles priced like this—High-back pompadour combs, French tortoise shell, 25c.; Large top loop pins, 3 for 5c.; Curved side combs, filigree tortoise shell, 25c.

TOILET SOAPS.

Think of it! Three big cakes of soap, paper covered to preserve scent, neatly boxed, for 10c. Pure soap. Stick it to your tongue; it won't bite, sting or blister. A dozen different flower odors. The cakes are mild—that is, the soap is dried and chipped into fine pieces, then is forced into cakes under great pressure. Result—The soap "wears."

D. HUNT & SON.

Pure spices, all kinds, at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Helena and Johnson will soon be connected by a telephone line.

Music, the latest songs and dances abound in "A Breezy Time." Tonight at the Opera-house.

At the November election Fleming county will vote on the question of issuing \$15,000 in bonds for the purpose of paying for the turnpikes purchased by that county.

Of its own motion the Court of Appeals extended the opinion on its face in the suit of Commonwealth vs. Farmers' and Shippers' Leaf Tobacco Warehouse Company, taken up from Bracken county.

Don't compare my line of Cut Glass with that shown by others. My line is not partly cut and balance pressed. Every mark is hand cut and artistic in finish, the grandest line ever shown here. See the low prices for artistic cuttings, Bronze Busts, fine Sterling Silver of best makes, all marked at prices that will sell.

James Miller of Vanceburg is dying at Guyandotte, W. Va., from the effects of an assault by highway robbers a few nights ago. Miller had been visiting relatives at Rome, Lawrence county, O., and was going to Huntington when he was attacked. He was found in the road, apparently dead. Two holes had penetrated his skull, made by a sharp weapon and one of his ears was entirely gone. The robbers secured about \$50 and a gold watch. Miller is about 40, and leaves a family.

For Rent.
The residence recently occupied by Major Thomas J. Chenoweth, No. 221 West Second street. Apply to Mrs. L. V. Davis.

A GENTLEMAN sojourning in Brooklyn some years ago desired, on a Sabbath morning, to hear the late Rev. Henry Ward Beecher preach. He asked a little urchin on the street to direct him to Mr. Beecher's Church. The little fellow said: "Mister, do you see that crowd?" "I do," answered the gentleman. "Well, Mister, follow it and you'll get there."

Clothing!

Furnishing Goods. Men's and Boys' SHOES!

Follow the crowd and you'll land in the right place. Were it not that we are awfully bashful we would tell you of the compliments showered upon us by the many who have looked over our stock.

Our windows to some extent give you an idea what we have in stock. In passing our house take a peep; you will see stuff that will interest you.

We are sometimes asked, "Do people read and believe your advertisements?" Well, if you would have looked in on us in the past ten days (since the weather turned cold) you would have concluded that our advertisements and our merchandise are credited, for notwithstanding we employ more salesmen than all the other clothing houses in Maysville combined we were unable to wait on everybody. Mothers, we want you to see our

Children's Reefers

—AND—
Top Coats.

They are very attractive and moderately priced.

Hechinger & Co.